

Local and Other Items.

MARKET HALL—to-night. To-NIGHT.—Be at Market Hall early to-night. LOCAL HITS.—at Market Hall this evening. Go and hear them. POLICE COURT.—Three drunks—all from the rural districts—were disposed of for \$1 each by His Honor this forenoon.

STEAMER SOLD.—The steamer Eldon was sold at auction, at Pinette Bridge, on Wednesday, by Mr. Robert Beaird, for \$800. Mr. Frederick McRae, of Pinette, was the purchaser.

FIRE.—An unoccupied house on the corner of Orlébar and Gerald streets was destroyed by fire at one o'clock this morning. The house was owned by Mr. John McInnis, of Bay Fortune, and, we understand, was not insured.

ARRIVED.—Mr. Newton Lee, of Turro, arrived last evening, bringing with him his well-known stallion All Right and two splendid mares. All Right is in the pink of condition, and his owner anticipates a very successful season.

WHO IS HE?—The Boston Globe of Saturday, the 20th inst., says: "Herbert Robinson, 30 years of age, belonging to Prince Edward Island, was found in a doorway last evening by officers of station 2, suffering with a broken leg. He was removed to the City Hospital."

EARLY FARMING.—Spring wheat was sown on Tuesday on the farm of Mr. Robert Beer, Brackley Point Road.

We learn from the Summerside Journal that Mr. J. Schurman, of New Annap, ploughed half an acre of land on the 18th, and found it in very fair condition.

FOR BROWN.—The steamer Carrol, Captain Brown, sailed for Boston at an early hour this morning, with a cargo of potatoes, eggs, etc., and the following passengers:—John T. Ventor, Henry Griffin, B. McLeod, Edith Dockendorff, John Goodnough, R. Nicholson, D. Gibson, Mrs. Humphrey, John Macdonald, George Goodnough, John Jackson, and Miss Dockendorff.

BOARD OF TRADE.—There was a general meeting of the Charlottetown Board of Trade last evening, at which it was resolved to permit to members who desired to resign, to do so on payment of Five Dollars, such payment to be in full of all arrears, and it was further resolved to take legal proceedings against all those more than one year in arrears for the full amount due not paid or settled for in this way on or before the first of June next. Pay up, gentlemen!

PANORAMA.—Under the auspices of the Mission Band in connection with Zion Church, George M. Harris has consented to give the famous panorama view of "Crucifixion" in the basement of that Church on Tuesday evening, 30th inst. Mr. J. Herbert Logan, and the choir have consented to supply suitable music for the occasion. This will be the last opportunity of hearing this thrilling narrative. We bespeak a full house. Doors open at 7.30, commencing at 8 o'clock sharp. Admission: adults, 15 cents; children, 10 cents.

THE ISLAND AHEAD.—We see by the bulletin issued by the Central Experimental Farm, Ottawa, that P. E. Island is credited with the largest yield of Ludoga wheat for 1888, viz 199 lbs. Next comes the North-west Territories with 178 lbs. The 199 lbs was grown by our enterprising citizen, Mr. John Newton, on Warren's Farm, on 2 lbs sown; whilst the Northwest Territories and the other Provinces reported sowed 3 lb. Mr. Newton enjoys the distinction of being officially informed that he grew the most from the quantity sown of any person in the Dominion. Well done, P. E. Island!

ERRATA.—We greatly regret that the name of Mr. L. W. Watson was, owing to an oversight, omitted in the paragraph in our issue of yesterday, conveying the thanks of the members of the Fitzroy and Mac-Mac Lawn Tennis Club to the ladies and gentlemen who so kindly assisted them in bringing their late entertaining and successful issue. To Mr. Watson is due the credit of producing two of the most effective tableaux ever exhibited to a Charlottetown audience; and this portion of the performance in no small degree enhanced the general satisfaction with which the entertainment was received.

ODELLEWS ENTERTAINMENT.—The Odelles will conclude their celebration with a grand operatic entertainment in the Market Hall this evening. The programme is made up largely of selections from the Mikado, Pinafore and the Pirates of Penzance. The selections from the Mikado and the Pirates will be rendered in characteristic costume. The Examiner's reporter was among the privileged few present, and a full dress rehearsal in which the different parts were excellently performed, we have no hesitation in predicting a brilliant success to-night. The hall has been tastefully arranged for the occasion. The seats in the rear have been raised, and about four hundred reserved chairs placed in the centre. Every one is thus assured a comfortable seat.

Personal.

Commenting on the water colors in the spring exhibition the Montreal Star says: "No. 131, 'Little Gossips,' and No. 132, 'Two of a Kind,' by Mr. R. Harris, are two very pleasing sketches; the drawing admirable and full of feeling, the coloring wonderfully soft in tone. We are inclined to like his water colors, of this year, better than his oils." And the Gazette says: "Not the least important of the drawings are Harris' 'Little Gossips' and 'Two of a Kind.' Into the latter he has infused the same spirit of simple honesty that gives a domestic life of a ruder kind, with a broad good humor and vivacity a trace of just as conditions of life in which artists less deep in their perceptions might find something to treat lightly.

The Board of Trade Journal for April, just issued, contains bad news for Canadian live stock interests. The Argentine Republic has passed a law guaranteeing 5 per cent. interest for ten years on eight million dollars, to be invested in establishments devoted to export beef. This means keener rivalry for Canadian exporters to the British markets. The Canadian Gazette confirms a private despatch regarding the urgent necessity of Canada's taking with the utmost vigor every precaution against cattle disease, seeing the intensity of the present British fears that disease will be introduced by foreign imports.

TELEGRAPHIC NEWS.

SPECIAL DISPATCHES TO THE EXAMINER. DOMINION PARLIAMENT. Debates and Proceedings.

OTTAWA, April 24. After routine, Hon Mr. Dewdney said the bill to consolidate the act respecting the North-west territories would stand over till next session. In reply Sir John said the surveys of the Herby-Salt-bary line had been brought down in 1886. It was estimated the road would cost \$16,000 per mile. The Supplementary estimates for the year 1889 were then considered in committee till recess. The item to increase Mr. Schreiber's salary by \$2,000 met with much opposition. After recess in supply, the cost and management of canals and incidentally Sabbath observance were discussed at length. Sir John Macdonald showed that there were no discriminating tolls against Americans. Supply was continued till a late hour.

NOVA SCOTIA NEWS. HALIFAX, April 24. The civic elections to-day resulted in the return of David McPherson for Mayor, and Aldermen Mosher, Lyons and Keefe were re-elected by acclamation. The retiring Aldermen were Messrs. Beaton, J. D. McIntosh, R. J. Sweet and Edward O'Donnell. John S. McLean, President of the Bank of Nova Scotia, wholesale grocer and prominent in the Presbyterian Church and local charitable institutions, died to-night. He was 58 years of age. Hiram Ross, aged 21, fell under the wheels whilst coupling cars at Londonderry to-day, and had his right shoulder crushed to jelly. His injuries will result fatally in all probability. The closing exercises of Pine Hill College were largely attended to-night.

HEARTILY WELCOMED. MONTREAL, April 24. Hon. Mr. Chapleau arrived home from Europe to-night, via New York, accompanied by Hon. Mr. Tallon and Dr. Lachapelle, who had gone to meet the Secretary of State. A great number of friends and admirers met the great French orator at the station and escorted him to St. Lawrence Hall, where an illuminated address was presented. The popular Minister, who looks in splendid health, made a magnificent speech in reply.

THE JESUITS' AGITATION CRITICISED. TORONTO, April 24. The Empire editorially criticises the anti-Jesuit agitation, and condemns the proposal to present petitions to the Governor. General in Council in face of the Parliamentary vote, but commends the testing of the constitutionality of the Act in the courts as the only practical thing to do.

SUNDAY INSTRUCTIONS. MONTREAL, April 24. Manager Hickson, of the Grand Trunk, has issued instructions that no freight trains shall be run on Sunday, except those containing live stock and perishable goods.

TOWN DESTROYED. LONDON, April 24. Despatches from West Africa say that the British expedition destroyed the chief town of the Wendebe tribe on the Subneah River and released 3000 slaves.

WEATHER BULLETIN. TORONTO, April 25.—10 a. m. Southerly winds, mostly fair weather with much shower in the western portion; not much change in temperature.

THE SHORT LINE AGREEMENT. The agreement submitted to Parliament on Monday last sets forth that the government agrees to acquire the necessary land and to construct and complete thereon a railway for freight and passenger service between Harvey and Salisbury, N. B., the railway to be as short as the physical features of the country will admit. The government further covenants with the lessees (the Canadian Pacific) and their successors, that as soon as completed they will devise and lease the same to the lessees and successors in perpetuity and with it shall also demise and lease in perpetuity running powers over the Intercolonial between Salisbury and Moncton, the lessees to pay therefor a rent for the first twenty years of one dollar per year, and thereafter, seventy-three thousand four hundred dollars per year, to be paid with all local taxes, etc. The government also agrees to demise and lease to the Canadian Pacific in perpetuity the lease of the present railway bridge or some other efficient bridge at Fredericton, the lessees to pay their due proportion of cost of maintenance and repair of the bridge. It is further provided that the government shall join the lessees in providing necessary rolling stock for passenger trains between Montreal and Halifax as nearly as practicable in proportion to the respective mileage of the two roads, and gives the Canadian Pacific the right to sell through tickets and establish agents along the Intercolonial.

MARRIED. In this city on the 94th inst., by Rev. W. Harrison, John C. Campbell to Miss Margaret Ann Proctor, both of Charlottetown.

DIED. At Albany Plains, on the 10th April, Mary, wife of Thomas P. Richards, in the 40th year of her age. A famine is raging at Bieze, Waag and Bistritz, Hungary. Hundreds are starving and dying.

P. E. Island Electric Co.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that the Annual General Meeting of the Stockholders of the above Company will be held at their Office, in Charlottetown, on WEDNESDAY, the 5th day of May next, A. D. 1889, at the hour of Twelve o'clock, noon. Dated 23rd day of April, A. D. 1889. JAMES WADDELL, Superintendent.

FURNITURE, CARPETS, &c. BY AUCTION, AT SALESROOM. On Friday Next, 26th Inst., AT 2 O'CLOCK, P. M. Parlor, Bedroom, Dining Room and Kitchen Furniture, Carpets, Rugs, Pictures, Glassware, Crockery, etc. Also—2 good Carts, 2 Trucks and 1 Express Wagon, 2 Riding Wagons, 1 set Driving Harness, 1 Riding Saddle. GEORGE M. HARRIS, Auctioneer.

"Army and Navy Depot." JAS. SCOTT & CO., HALIFAX. A Full Stock of Wines and Liquors JUST RECEIVED. 150 Cases ROYAL BLEND, 75 cases ISLAY BLEND & GELIC, 50 OLD RYE, 50 CHAMPAGNE, choice brands, 150 CLARET, 25 HOCK and MOELLE, 25 LIQUEURS—Cherry Brandy, Noyau, Curaco, Malbec, Benedictine, 200 FINE PORT and SHERRY, 150 HOLLAND GIN and OLD TOM, 300 HENNESSY'S BRANDY, * and V. O., 100 BASS'S ALE, 200 BURKE'S STOUT, 100 APOLLINARIS WATER, 100 BELFAST GINGER ALE, 50 FINE OLD RUM, 50 KINAHAN'S L. L. WHISKEY.

CHOICE GROCERIES. ap24 Bedroom Furniture, &c. I HAVE ON HAND A FEW BEDROOM SETS, SIDEBOARDS, Hair and Flock Mattresses, which might be sold this week to make room for large shipments of new goods. GEORGE M. HARRIS, Auctioneer.

AUCTION SALE. Two Acres of the Most Eligible Land in the Vicinity of the City. Just outside the City Limits and clear of City Taxes, yet as convenient as if in the City. BY PUBLIC AUCTION, ON PREMISES. On Wednesday, 8th of May next, AT 12 O'CLOCK, NOON: Two Acres of Land on the Malpeque Road near Spring Park, being the land and residence of the late James Barrow McKenna, Esquire, having a front of about three chains and five links on the Malpeque Road, and extending back eastwardly to a street six chains and fifty-eight links. The land is fronting on the Malpeque Road, and has streets on the south and west sides thereof. On it are a comfortable Cottage, good Well and Barn. The land will be sold in one block, or subdivided in Building Lots, to suit purchasers. Full particulars on application to the subscriber, or at the office of Messrs. Palmer & McLeod, 70 St. John's Street, down; and the balance in four years, at 6 per cent. interest. A. MCNEILL, Auctioneer.

DWELLING HOUSE, BY AUCTION. I AM INSTRUCTED BY A. WATTS, ESQ., to sell by Auction, on the Premises, On Tuesday, 30th Instant, AT 12 O'CLOCK, NOON: That Dwelling House and Store situated on the Lower Malpeque Road, about one mile from the city. There is one acre of land to this property, making it valuable as a Market Garden. GEORGE M. HARRIS, Auctioneer.

HAWKER'S TOLU AND CHERRY, A Favorite and Most Valuable Remedy for all Throat and Lung Diseases. It has cured hundreds of cases considered hopeless. It soothes, heals and strengthens the diseased or irritated Throat and Lungs in a very short time. Just a few doses will cure a fresh cold if taken in time. Price 50 cents per bottle. For sale at the Drug Stores. W. HAWKER & SON, Proprietors, St. John's, N. B.

J. B. Macdonald's New Stock Now Open! Mens' Suits! Boys' Suits! Very Cheap! Mens' Suits! Boys' Suits! Very Cheap!

THE LARGEST STOCK OF CLOTHING IN THE PROVINCE TO SELECT FROM! Ladies' Dress Goods and Trimmings! Hats, Flowers and Feathers! Ladies' Dress Goods and Trimmings! Hats, Flowers and Feathers! ALL THE NEWEST FABRICS IN DRESS GOODS AND TRIMMINGS—CHEAPEST PRICES. Wanted—5,000 Men and Boys to buy Hard and Soft Felt Hats. AN IMMENSE STOCK OF GENTS' FURNISHING GOODS AT PRICES THAT DEFY COMPETITION. 20,000 Yards of Prints, English and Canadian Manufactures. GREY COTTON, FROM 30 CTS. A YARD AND UPWARDS. Our prices are the lowest in every line, and you will study your own interest by buying at J. B. MACDONALD'S.

DOMINION BOOT AND SHOE STORE. ONE HUNDRED AND TWENTY-FIVE (125) CASES NOW OPEN OF Mens', Womens' and Childrens' Boots, Shoes and Slippers. Quality the best ever offered for sale in the Province, at prices which, for Cheapness, never have been approached in this city. WHOLESALE AND RETAIL at the "DOMINION BOOT AND SHOE STORE." J. B. MACDONALD, Proprietor, WEST SIDE QUEEN STREET.

Carpets! Carpets! Carpets! 100 ROLLS. 100 ROLLS. 100 ROLLS. New Stock Just Opened

JAMES PATON & CO'S. THE LARGEST AND BEST VARIETY EVER OFFERED in Newest Colorings and Latest Designs. Householders will find our Department nicely fitted up and no trouble to make a selection. PRICES ALWAYS THE LOWEST IN THE CITY.

Brussels Carpet, Velvet Carpet, Tapestry Carpet, Kidderminster Carpet, Axminster Carpet, Union, Hemp and Felt Carpet, Cocoa Matting and Mats, Art Squares woven in one piece, with fringed end, Hearth and Sofa Rugs, Goat Skin Rugs, China Mats, fancy borders, Wool Mats, Linoleum and Floor Oil Cloths, all widths. Tapestry, Rep Curtains, Lace Curtains, Curtain Poles and Window Shades, in great variety. JAMES PATON & CO., BROWN'S BLOCK.

Shortest Route to Boston, VIA HALIFAX. Canada Atlantic Steamship Co. The Fast, Steel, Clyde-built STEAMSHIP "HALIFAX" Leaves Noble's Wharf, Halifax, for Boston, EVERY WEDNESDAY MORNING, at 10 o'clock. Returning, leaves Boston's Wharf, Boston, for Halifax, EVERY SATURDAY, at 4 p. m. Passengers leaving Charlottetown on Tuesday, via Pictou, arrive at Halifax same evening, and can, if they prefer it, go directly on board the Steamer without extra charge.

PASTURE LOTS, BY AUCTION. I AM INSTRUCTED BY GEORGE McLEOD, ESQ., to sell by Auction, on the Premises, ON THURSDAY, 23rd OF MAY, AT 12 O'CLOCK, NOON. His Two Pasture Lots of one acre each, situated on Lower St. Peter's Road, adjoining Dr. Bogg's land. This property is conveniently located for Pasture, as it is less than a half mile from the City. Terms at sale. GEORGE M. HARRIS, Auctioneer.

"All Right." NEW HATS. LATEST STYLES IN Hard and Soft Felts, English and American Makes, AT VERY LOW PRICES. JOHN McLEOD & CO. Marline and Rope. 1 Ton LOBSTER MARLINE. 2 Tons MANILLA ROPE. SIMON W. CRABBE, Walker's Corner. Ch'town, April 18, 1889.

VALUABLE BUSINESS SITE FOR SALE. THAT very eligible piece of Land on Kent Street, part of the Estate of the late John Jurek, with a frontage of 51 feet and running back 160 feet. Terms easy. Apply to WILLIAM DODD.

LECTURE, IN AID OF THE FUNDS OF THE BENEVOLENT IRISH SOCIETY. "A Page from Canadian History." R. R. FITZGERALD, ESQ., will deliver a Lecture on the above subject, in THE LYCEUM, On Monday, the 29th inst. Admission, 15 cents. Tickets for sale at Drug Store of Reddin Bros., and at the door on night of Lecture. Doors open at 7 o'clock. To commence at 8. FRANCIS CURRAN, Secretary.

STEAMER "COILA." From Summerside and Charlottetown to Boston. THIS fast-sailing Iron Steamer, due here from England about the 25th inst., will receive Freight at reasonable rates at Summerside and Charlottetown for Boston, provided a sufficient quantity offers. Parties having Potatoes, Eggs or other freight to ship, will correspond at once with D. FARQUHARSON & SON. Ch'town, April 10, 1889—dy wy

WANTED. MALE AND FEMALE HELP, for BOSTON and SUBURBS, for private families and for hotel work at sea-side and mountains. Parties contemplating a visit to Boston, deeming reliable situations, will do well by calling at the old reliable THE MARRON EMPLOYMENT CO., 23 Tremont St., Boston, Mass. NOTICE. THE SUBSCRIBER HEREBY GIVES NOTICE that it is his intention of commencing about the FIRST OF MAY to make a thorough examination of all Privies, Pity Yards, Cesspools, Ash Pits, Cellars, &c., of which those concerned will take due notice and govern themselves accordingly. Any information will be thankfully received at the Market House on Market Day. D. McRAE, Sanitary Officer. Ch'town, April 3, 1889—cod tt

RANKIN HOUSE, SIMON BOLGER, Proprietor, Corner Water and Pownall Streets, CHARLOTTETOWN, P. E. ISLAND. THIS old and well-known Hotel has been thoroughly renovated, and furnished with all modern conveniences, and now ranks with the first-class Hotels of the Maritime Provinces. The situation is the most delightful in the city, embracing a magnificent view of the Hillsborough River. The Table will be second to none. Free Bus will meet all Trains and Boats. Charges moderate. ap9-dy 3m edt wky 61c